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COMMITTEE REPORT

YES:	12
NO:	0

MR. SPEAKER:

*Your Committee on **Labor and Employment**, to which was referred House Bill 1465, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill **be amended** as follows:*

- 1 Page 3, line 3, delete "and IC 36-8-8-14.1(h)" and insert "**IC**
- 2 **38-8-8-14.1(h), and IC 36-8-10-16.5**".
- 3 Page 5, line 33, after "2003," insert "**offer to**".
- 4 Page 6, line 4, after "members." insert "**The offer to provide and**
- 5 **pay for health insurance coverage shall remain open for as long as**
- 6 **there is a surviving spouse or as long as a natural child, stepchild,**
- 7 **or adopted child of the member is eligible for the coverage under**
- 8 **subdivision (1), (2), or (3).** ".
- 9 Page 7, line 22, after "2003," insert "**offer to**".
- 10 Page 7, line 35, after "members." insert "**The offer to provide and**
- 11 **pay for health insurance coverage shall remain open for as long as**
- 12 **there is a surviving spouse or as long as a natural child, stepchild,**
- 13 **or adopted child of the member is eligible for the coverage under**
- 14 **subdivision (1), (2), or (3).** ".

1 Page 9, line 19, after "2003," insert "offer to".

2 Page 9, line 32, after "members." insert "**The offer to provide and**
3 **pay for health insurance coverage shall remain open for as long as**
4 **there is a surviving spouse or as long as a natural child, stepchild,**
5 **or adopted child of the member is eligible for the coverage under**
6 **subdivision (1), (2), or (3). "**

7 Page 11, line 18, after "2003," insert "offer to".

8 Page 11, line 31, after "members." insert "**The offer to provide and**
9 **pay for health insurance coverage shall remain open for as long as**
10 **there is a surviving spouse or as long as a natural child, stepchild,**
11 **or adopted child of the member is eligible for the coverage under**
12 **subdivision (1), (2), or (3). "**

13 Page 13, line 4, after "2003," insert "offer to".

14 Page 13, line 17, after "members." insert "**The offer to provide and**
15 **pay for health insurance coverage shall remain open for as long as**
16 **there is a surviving spouse or as long as a natural child, stepchild,**
17 **or adopted child of the member is eligible for coverage under**
18 **subdivision (1), (2), or (3). "**

19 Page 15, line 6, after "2003," insert "offer to".

20 Page 15, line 19, after "members." insert "**The offer to provide and**
21 **pay for health insurance coverage shall remain open for as long as**
22 **there is a surviving spouse or as long as a natural child, stepchild,**
23 **or adopted child of the member is eligible for coverage under**
24 **subdivision (1), (2), or (3). "**

25 Page 16, line 26, after "2003," insert "offer to".

26 Page 16, line 39, after "members." insert "**The offer to provide and**
27 **pay for health insurance coverage shall remain open for as long as**
28 **there is a surviving spouse or as long as a natural child, stepchild,**
29 **or adopted child of the member is eligible for coverage under**
30 **subdivision (1), (2), or (3). "**

31 Page 18, line 21, after "2003," insert "offer to".

32 Page 18, line 34, after "members." insert "**The offer to provide and**
33 **pay for health insurance coverage shall remain open for as long as**
34 **there is a surviving spouse or as long as a natural child, stepchild,**
35 **or adopted child of the member is eligible for coverage under**
36 **subdivision (1), (2), or (3). "**

37 Page 18, after line 34, begin a new paragraph and insert:

38 "SECTION 10. IC 36-8-10-16.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA

1 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 2 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2003]: **Sec. 16.5. (a) As used in this section,**
 3 **"dies in the line of duty" has the meaning set forth in IC 5-10-10-2.**
 4 **(b) This section applies to the survivors of an eligible employee**
 5 **who dies in the line of duty.**
 6 **(c) After December 31, 2003, the department that employed the**
 7 **eligible employee who died in the line of duty shall offer to provide**
 8 **and pay for health insurance coverage for the eligible employee's**
 9 **surviving spouse and for each natural child, stepchild, or adopted**
 10 **child of the eligible employee:**
 11 **(1) until the child becomes eighteen (18) years of age;**
 12 **(2) until the child becomes twenty-three (23) years of age, if**
 13 **the child is enrolled in and regularly attending a secondary**
 14 **school or is a full-time student at an accredited college or**
 15 **university; or**
 16 **(3) during the entire period of the child's physical or mental**
 17 **disability;**
 18 **whichever period is longest. If health insurance coverage is offered**
 19 **by the unit to an eligible employee, the health insurance provided**
 20 **to a surviving spouse or child under this subsection must be equal**
 21 **in coverage to that offered to an eligible employee. The offer to**
 22 **provide and pay for health insurance cover shall remain open for**
 23 **as long as there is a surviving spouse or as long as a natural child,**
 24 **stepchild, or adopted child of the eligible employee is eligible for**
 25 **coverage under subdivision (1), (2), or (3). "**

(Reference is to HB 1465 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Representative Liggett